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In re Application of
Zhenan Bao, et al.
Application No. 09/305,722
Filed: May 5, 1999
Attorney Docket No. BAO-9-1-13

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed July 5, 2002, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply within the meaning of 37CFR 1.113 in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed September 25, 2001, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three(3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on December 26, 2001.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Cheryl Gibson-Baylor at (703)308-5111, or in her absence, Sherry Brinkley at (703)305-9220.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 1700, Art Unit 1746.

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